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APPLICATION NUMBER	FILING/RECEIPT DATE	FIRST NAMED APPLICANT	ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER
09/775,715	02/01/2001	Abrol	1220335-991180

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**CONFIRMATION NO. 7897**

**FORMALITIES LETTER**



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Date Mailed: 03/13/2001

**NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION**

**FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)**

***Filing Date Granted***

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.**

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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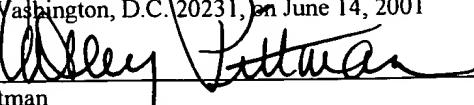
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: Abrol et al.

Serial No: 09/775,715

Filed: February 1, 2001

Title: AN ADAPTIVE DOCUMENT RANKING METHOD BASED ON USER BEHAVIOR



Art Unit: 2171

Examiner: Not Assigned

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS  
OF NONPROVISIONAL PATENT APPLICATION**

Box MISSING PARTS  
Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Patent Application" mailed by the United States Patent and Trademark Office on March 13, 2001. The following documents are enclosed to complete the filing of the above-referenced patent application:

1. Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts (2 pgs.);
2. Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney (4 pgs.);
3. Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status (2 pgs.);
4. Assignment (2 pgs.);
5. Recordation Cover Sheet (1 pg.);
6. Fee Transmittal (2 pgs.);
7. Petition for Extension of Time (2 pgs.);
8. Transmittal of Formal Drawings;
9. Three (3) sheets of Formal Drawings;
10. Check # 480675 in the amount of \$300.00;
11. Return Postcard

Check # 480675 in the amount of \$300.00 is enclosed. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any deficiencies in fees and credit any overpayment of fees to Deposit Account No. 07-1896.

Respectfully submitted,

GRAY CARY WARE & FREIDENRICH LLP

Dated: 6/14/2001

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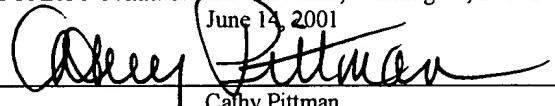
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TRANSMITTAL OF FORMAL DRAWINGS

Asst. Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

**ATTN: BOX MISSING PARTS**

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are three (3) sheets of formal drawings for the above-identified application.

Please address all future communications regarding this application to:

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Dated

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# FEES TRANSMITTAL

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(\$ 300.00)

## Complete if Known

Application Number	09/775,715
Filing Date	February 1, 2001
First Named Inventor	Abrol et al.
Examiner Name	Not Yet Assigned
Group Art Unit	2171
Attorney Docket No.	1220335-991180

## METHOD OF PAYMENT

1. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any overpayments to:

Deposit Account Number **07-1896**Deposit Account Name **Gray Cary Ware & Freidenrich LLP** Charge Any additional Fee Required Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.272.  Payment Enclosed: Check  Credit card  Money Order  Other

## FEE CALCULATION (continued)

## 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	65.00
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	
116	390	216	195	Extension for reply within second month	
117	890	217	445	Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,390	218	695	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,890	228	945	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	310	219	155	Notice of Appeal	
120	310	220	155	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	270	221	135	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	11	0240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,240	241	620	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
142	1,240	242	620	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	440	243	220	Design issue fee	
144	600	244	300	Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50	Petitions related to provisional applications	
126	240	126	240	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	40.00
40	146	710	246	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
149	710	249	355	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
179	710	279	355	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169	900	169	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$ **0**)

## 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims  Extra Claims  Fee from below  X  Fee Paid Independent Claims   X  Fee Paid Multiple Dependent  X  = 

Large Entity Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description
103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20
102	80	202	40	Independent claims in excess of 3
104	270	204	135	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109	80	209	40	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	210	9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$ **0**)

\*or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above

Other fee (specify) \* Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid SUBTOTAL (3) (\$ **300.00**)

## SUBMITTED BY

## Complete (if applicable)

Name (Print/Type)	<b>Timothy W. Lohse</b>	Registration No. (Attorney/Agent)	35,255	Telephone	650-320-7426
Signature	<b><i>Timothy W. Lohse</i></b>			Date	June 14, 2001

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